

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M. No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. George Hazen, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Frank N. Barker, H. P.; Geo. E. Tubbs, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday after the full moon. V. W. Hill, Ven. Pat.; Merton L. Kimball, Secretary.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Edwin H. Allen, N. G.; Chas. S. Akers, Sec'y.

WINDY EXAMINER, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. George W. Richardson, C. E.; M. L. Kimball, Sec'y.

MT. HOPE REBEKAH LODGE, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Edie I. Akers, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

PENNESSEWASSEE LODGE, No. 18, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Tuesday evening. Wm. A. Lewis, C. O.; M. L. Kimball, K. of R. & S.

LAKE ASSOCIATION, No. 33, P. S., meets in Pythian Hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Mrs. Dean Walker, C. O.; Emma Abbott, K. of R. & S.

NORWAY COMMANDERY, No. 247, U. O. G. C., meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. H. L. Boynton, K. of R.

LAKE LODGE, No. 17, N. E. P. O. M., meets in G. A. R. Hall, first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Mabel F. Warren, warden; Ada A. Libby, Sec'y.

HARRY RUSSELL POST, No. 54, G. A. R., meets at G. A. R. Hall, first Tuesday evening of each month. S. H. Legrow, Commander; Kreslant Young, adjutant; S. A. Bennett, Q. M.

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TO SNUFF VOLCANOES.

Startling Discovery Made by An Australian.

Volcanoes can easily be extinguished, says the New York Herald. A New Zealand man claims (and there are many who agree with him) to have discovered a liquid by means of which volcanoes may be extinguished quickly whether active or threatening.

Many diseases of the human body act in the same manner as volcanoes. Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, Kidney Disorders, Female Diseases and many others all begin with a slight rumble of pain and distress, and if not treated in time will burst forth in all their fury, causing all who are afflicted the most intense suffering and making life a complete burden.

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WANTED.
Peeled Pulp Wood, Spruce, Fir, Hemlock and Poplar. This is easily the handsomest sparrow that visit us, with his well poised head, having a white band in the middle of the crown with a black band and then another white band on each side of it. His habits are much the same as those of the white-throated sparrow, and he makes the two birds differ only a little. Place them side by side however, and the white-crown is larger, sleeker and more erect in general appearance than the white-throat. The white-tipped feathers on the back of the white-crown are also characteristic. This sparrow goes far north as Labrador in summer, and winter spreads over the southern states and as far south as Mexico. I have not heard its notes, as it is mostly silent during migration, but the song is said to resemble the Peabody part of the white-throat's refrain.

The blackburnian warbler is a late comer, but he will very likely stay here all summer. I saw one in the deep woods, high up in the top of a tall beech tree. His song attracted my attention to him, being of the conventional warbler character at the beginning, but after a succession of rapid see-see notes, ending in a sharp, high-pitched see-see-see. In fact so shrill was that last note that I could not see him until he was beyond my ear.

After I had wrenched my neck and nearly broken my back, with my field glasses pointing toward the zenith, I saw a yellow-crowned night heron, with white under parts, also a throat of white on the wing, that being all that was visible, when he was so high above me among the leaves; but the song I shall never forget on account of that closing, shrill note.

The blackburnian warbler has not been seen this year in nearly so large numbers as in the spring of 1902. While the black and white warbler's utterance is thin and wiry the blackpoll's beats it out and out in these particulars. Mr. Langille described it as the most slender and wiry note he had heard in our forests. He says it is a succession of tree-tree-trees, rapidly uttered, monotonous notes of equal pitch and length, beginning softly, increasing in the middle of the strain. Elsewhere the quality of the sound is compared to that produced by striking two pebbles together. The blackpoll warbler nests mostly north of New England as far away as Alaska and winters in South America.

Cedar waxwings have become very plentiful. They wander from one place to another in flocks of 25 to 50, often smaller, of course, and gather at the same time in the same apple tree, where they eat the canker worms very greedily. Watch them for a time and you will see them pulling the blossoms to pieces and scattering the petals on the ground, apparently in the most aimless fashion, but there is no doubt that they are really eating the wax and that they do no harm to the blossoms, those that are mature and ready to fall to pieces being the ones that contain the most worms and the ones that the birds attack.

When cherries are ripe they will claim a generous share, and each of those that grow in the woods. For the present the waxwings are engaged in gorging themselves on the season's plentiful supply of food. It will be a month or so yet before they think of nesting, but when they do there will be no more devoted parents than they are.

The chestnut-sided warblers are this season more plentiful than ever. Not long ago this was counted a rare bird. Three years ago the black-throated green was the most common warbler; but the chestnut-sided has to a great extent

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Be True to Yourself.

Never mind what others say
When you know you're in the right;
Still undaunted go your way—
Never mind what others say,
Take the work that others leave,
Whether or no it is your due,
Never mind what others say,
Just to your own end be true.
HORSBURG GARDNER GUNGE.

Claim Your Rights.

Claim your rights, the world is willing,
And is waiting to bestow
Recompense for each endeavor,
You had had it long ago,
If you hadn't been so slow.
You can have all you can hold,
You can hold all you can take,
You can take your rest due—
Claiming less is your mistake.

Distribution of Life's prizes
Is made honestly and square.
Ceaseless industry and courage
Brings to each his rightful share
Of life's liberal and fair.
For you get just what you earn,
And you earn just what you're worth,
And you're worth what you do do,
To lessen sorrow on the earth.

Written for the Advertiser.
A Lament.

Over Affairs a Week or Two Ago—Now all
has Changed—Rain has Fallen in Abundance.

The squash and pumpkin come up
And the drawing's bit off, isn't it?
The Artist—How's that?
The Patron—Why, the clock says ten
past ten, and the right time now is a
quarter to four.

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We have had many "showers" of "bless-
ings," the past week. It is about time
to complain of the rain.

taken the place of the former. Balti-
more orioles have their nests ready for
the eggs and may be heard in full song
nearly every morning. Hummingbirds
are observed with unusual frequency.
It seems sure that meadowlarks are in
larger numbers than for some years.
—[Portland Advertiser.]

"Better out than in"—that humor that you
notice. To be sure it's out and all out, take
Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Tit-for-Tat.

An impossibility.
A bashful young maid went into a
chicken store the other day carrying
three chickens. She asked what they
were worth, and put them on the
counter. The clerk didn't know the
chickens' feet were tied and asked if
they would lay there.

She bit her handkerchief and said:
"No, sir; they are roosters."

One Prayer for both.
The Parson—I intend to pray that
you may forgive Casey for having thrown
that brick at you.

The Farmer—Maybe yer Riv'rence 'ud
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June 20—Norway vs. Lewiston Y. M. C. A., Fair Grounds.
June 21—Colby commencement.
June 22—Bates commencement.
June 23—Bowdoin commencement.
July 1—Maine Sportsmen's Association excursion, Kineo.
Aug. 10—Old Home Week.
Aug. 24—Empire Grove Campmeeting, East Poland.

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James M. Hasey of Oxford has been decreed a discharge in bankruptcy.

The Hebrons won 4 to 3 in a twelve inning baseball game, Saturday, vs. E. L. H. S. of Auburn.

Notice was received from Rev. A. S. Ladd, June 12, that he would preach at South Waterford, June 20, at 10.30 a. m. and at Sweden at 2.30 p. m. instead of June 18.

WEST SUMMER.

The Children's Sabbath.
Last Sabbath was observed as children's Sunday by appropriate music and interesting exercises by the children. Floral decorations were very pretty and abundant. Rev. Mr. Sanford in a few well chosen remarks impressed the children with the importance of becoming helpers in their respective homes. The social service of song which last season proved so interesting to old and young recommended last Sunday evening with a large number present. These services will continue through the summer and fall. All are invited to come and join in the singing; 7.30 p. m.

Arthur Bonney and Freeman Farrar exchanged cows.

G. W. Heath and Clarence Bucknam have exchanged horses.

Charlie Ryerson has lost over twenty chickens from his nice flock by stray cats.

Mrs. George Carter from South Paris visited Mrs. J. A. Tuell, a few days last week.

Mrs. Harriet Howe and Mrs. Hannah Bates went to Rumford Falls on a visit last Tuesday.

G. W. Field and wife returned from Massachusetts, June 10, and report a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Raymond of Livermore Falls came to visit at George Packard's, the 11, returning, the 16.

Rev. D. L. Sanford returned to his parish at Bellows Falls, Vermont, last Monday. His vacation was necessarily short.

Mrs. D. D. Small joined the Snow-bound literary club at their meeting last week. The meetings are reported very interesting.

Several of our young people went to Redding, June 10, to the reception of U. M. Beckler and bride, June 11. They report a very fine time.

Clarence Bucknam went to West Buckfield, June 16, to attend the funeral of his brother, Winfield S. Bucknam, who died Sunday very suddenly.

Our supervisor, W. H. Eastman, visited our school last week, and we hear was much pleased with the summer's progress. It closed Wednesday of this week.

Despite the fact of heavy frost and torrid drought, the berry cultures in our village are producing some of the largest and finest strawberries ever seen in this locality.

Those that were reported last week as having gone fishing, returned Monday. The whole catch was 110. E. W. Chandler caught the largest one, a salmon which weighed 5½ pounds.

Our people are much pleased to see the home of the late Mrs. Louise J. Gurney again open. A new piano has lately arrived there which will greatly add to the pleasure of the occupants. Deaconess M. E. Davidson from Richmond, Virginia, was added to the number Monday night.

ALBANY.

Union Conference.

The Union Conference was held at the Albany church, June 10th and 11th. Although the weather seemed unpromising both days, quite a delegation of the churches was present. Miss Emerson spoke in the interest of the A. M. A., telling of its work in the mission fields. Her talk was much enjoyed by all. Rev. Truman S. Perry of Waterford gave a historical sketch of the Albany church from 1803 to 1903, which proved the results of much labor profoundly interesting.

Arthur Andrews was quite ill again, Sunday.

Newton Moore, who is at the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Portland, is expected home soon.

Henry Landray of Salem, Mass., visited his sister, Mrs. Belle McNally, one day this week.

Claude Adams of Hyde Park, Mass., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Carter Grover.

WEST LOVELL.

Alice Heald of Slab city has been visiting Aristeden Lord.

C. D. Lord has been on a visit to his home for a few days.

Roy Shaw of Cape Elizabeth is staying a few weeks at A. K. Lord's.

Charles Welch of Boston arrived, Saturday, on a visit to his friend, G. W. Andrews.

Mrs. Georgia McAllister returned from a visit to relatives in Norway, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Nichols and daughter Lizzie and sister-in-law, Mrs. Stoddard of Lynn, has come to her summer home here.

Lauren Lord of Albany, who has been at work for his uncle Alonzo, returned home with his mother and brother, last Sunday.

Pamela McDaniel returned home from a visit to North Norway. She was accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Orin Brown, and husband.

BETHEL.

Levi Browne recently went to Auburn. The rain has made the road rough in places.

Eva Bartlett was the guest of Mina Tyler, recently.

Vegetation is greatly revived since the nice rain storm.

The apple crop will be light in this section, this year.

Walter Browne has gone to Auburn for a few days' visit.

Bert Bird of Waterford recently visited at W. M. Browne's.

Ruth Bean is going to close her school with an entertainment.

Marcus Swan and family are living on the Peaslee farm, this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Palmer from Lovell were guests at F. Bennett's, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Freehand Bennett are rejoicing congratulations. They have another granddaughter, born at Mechanic Falls, June 4.

Ethel May Thompson of Auburn, the nurse who had the care of W. M. Browne's late daughter, Bertha Browne, requests him to be present at the commencement exercises of her class at the Central Maine General Hospital.

Mrs. Irving French had a slight shock Monday.

Mrs. Brackett Small of Otisfield is visiting Mrs. Edmund E. Holt.

John Brown of South Paris was in town Wednesday on business.

Uncle Ned Robertson has been confined to the house the past week.

Dr. Burnham of Worcester is in town fitting people with eye-glasses.

Mrs. J. Hastings Boas of South Paris was visiting friends in town last Tuesday.

Mrs. Ellen A. Briggs, stopping at Ira W. Bean's, died of heart disease on the 11th.

The engagement of Harlan B. Clough of Portsmouth, N. H., and Evangeline Barker of Bethel is announced.

Alice Twitchell of Augusta came to Bethel last Tuesday, called here by the sickness of her sister, Mrs. Anna French.

The Universalist Society, which has been without a pastor since May 1, has voted to extend a call to Rev. A. D. Colson of Kennebec.

George B. French of Augusta, assistant editor of the Maine Farmer, was called here Tuesday by the sickness of his mother. He returned to Augusta Wednesday morning.

Susie Plaisted was thrown from her carriage last Wednesday by her horse being frightened by an automobile. She sustained quite severe injuries, but no bones were broken.

Everybody was surprised last Saturday morning to discover a freshet in town. It raised a number of small bridges, but no extensive damage was done, except to the drought.

Saturday morning Tom Hastings started for Pleasant river near West Bethel to look after driving some pulp wood. While crossing Mill brook about one-fourth of a mile west of this village, his horse ran off the end of the bridge which was covered with water and was drowned before help arrived to assist him. Mr. Hastings had a narrow escape from drowning himself as the water was about fifteen feet deep at that place.

Walter Chandler is employed at West Paris.

John Coolidge and wife are to move to the village soon.

Wilbert Baker is moving into the Philbrook rent on High street.

A. L. F. Pike and wife of Norway visited Alice Farwell, Monday.

Mrs. O. M. Mason visited Alice Mason at Berlin, the first of the week.

Nina Bryant of West Paris is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Clarence Fox.

Chester Bean has returned from the lakes where he has been fishing.

Freeland Howe of Norway made a business trip in town, last week.

Mellen C. Wilby has returned from the University of Maine, last week.

Mrs. R. O. Clark and son of Saco have come to their summer home at East Bethel.

Mrs. Ceylon Rowe and Lena Briggs drove to Harrison to make a week's visit, Tuesday.

A meeting of the Alumni Association of Gould Academy will be held this Thursday afternoon.

Barbara Carter returned from her trip to the Southern States last Friday, after having been gone some months.

Last Friday evening, as Walter Foster of Newry was coming toward Bethel with a team of horses, the wind blew off the top of a tree near Eli Barker's. It was about 8 inches in diameter and struck the pole of the wagon just back of the horses. If it had been three feet either way it would have struck the horses or Mr. Foster. Securing an axe the team was extricated after a while.

EAST DENMARK.

Henry Gustin bought a horse last week of Elwood Lord.

Mrs. Almira Smith of Yarmouth is visiting her son, Henry R. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker are visited by their daughter Hattie of Dorchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. George Furbish of Providence, R. I., visited at Henry R. Smith's last week.

Mrs. Loren Merrifield and Lee and Blanche Merrifield were at T. I. Lowell's last Sunday.

Mrs. Phebe Cole of Portland and Mrs. Sarah Powers of California visited at E. P. Fessenden's last week.

NORTH LOVELL.

Perley McKee has returned from Chatham, N. H.

A meat cart driven by Otis Gilman will go through this place every Monday.

The roll carding mill is doing business at South Waterford. Mr. Hamilton pays cash for wool fleeced or washed. He sells the Adriance Buckeye machine and raker—See ad.

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FRYEBURG.

Hotel Argue Not.

They get all kinds of names for cottages, but "Hotel Argue Not" is about the limit in summer hotel nomenclature. It is located in Fryeburg, on the Saco, and is a reminder to guests that neither clerk, headwaiter nor cook intend to stand any "sass."

Rachel Weston is at home on her summer vacation.

2 pounds Rio coffee for 25 cents at H. H. Burbank's.

Max Newman is at home from Orono on his vacation.

The heavy rains of last week caused a rise of the Saco which overflowed its banks Saturday.

The account of the ball game given in the Advertiser last week should have read in favor of the Fryeburg instead of the Parsonsfield's.

The baccalaureate sermon will be given by Rev. Mr. Pitts at the Congregational church Sunday evening, June 21. Graduating exercises Tuesday afternoon.

There was a concert by the Sunday school at the Congregational church Sunday night, followed by an address by the pastor, Mr. Weeks, clerk at the Oxford, Saco solo.

Wednesday evening, June 10, at the residence of H. W. Cousins occurred the wedding of his daughter Mary to Carl S. Hatch, a former resident of Fryeburg and graduate of the academy. He is an architect. Their home will be in Boston.

June 23d, concert in the evening for which the following talent has been secured. The Zephyr Orchestra, Portland; vocal soloist, Grace March of Portland; reader, Elsie Livermore of Portland; violin soloist, Maud Danforth of Portland.

The young ladies of the graduating class at the Academy were at East Fryeburg over Sunday. Saturday night they all met at Eugene Harman's and Sunday dinner at Harman Harnden's. A ride of 20 miles around Pleasant mountain added much to the pleasure of the visit.

The saw mill of Edward McIntire of West Fryeburg was destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock on Sunday morning. This mill was rebuilt only a few years ago on the site of a mill which was burned in 1890. The fire cannot be accounted for in any way, and it is supposed to have been of incendiary origin. The loss was about \$3000 and there was no insurance. Mr. McIntire thinks of rebuilding at an early date.

Dr. Alden E. Bessey.

Dr. Alden E. Bessey died at his home in Waterville, Monday. He and his wife had spent the greater part of the winter in the South and had just returned home. Dr. Bessey was born in Hebron, Jan. 1, 1838, and was the son of Erastus and Sallie Smith Bessey. He fitted for college at Hebron and the Maine Wesleyan Seminary and entered Amherst with the class of 1860, but did not finish the course. He graduated from the Maine Medical School and began practice in Wayne and Sidney, going to Waterville in 1890.

He was twice married, his first wife being Helen J. Morton, and two sons were born to them, Merton W. and Earl E. He was married the second time to Clara A. Forbes who with one daughter, Lenora, and the two sons survive him. He was a member of the Maine Medical Association, the Kennebec Medical Association and the Waterville Clinical Society, and had served the last two as president. He was also a member of the Congregational church.

Dr. Marion F. Marble.

Dr. Marion F. Marble died at his home in Gardiner, Monday, at the age of 57 years. For 12 years the deceased had been almost helpless as the result of a paralytic shock suffered by him 14 years ago.

Dr. Marble was born in Dixfield and passed his younger days in that town. His first study of medicine was in Jay with Dr. Samuel Sanborn, and he then to Gardiner he entered the store of Dr. Morton. He graduated as an Eclectic physician from Cincinnati and returned to Gardiner.

A. W. Row survives him. He was a member of Hermon Lodge, F. & A. M., Lebanon Royal Arch Chapter and Maine Commandery.

SOUTH SWEDEN.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Elint of Brighton Ridge visited friends in town recently.

Richard Elint and his wife have gone to Sebago intending to stay for the summer.

Ed Lord of Steep Falls and Woodman Charles of Fryeburg Harbor were at C. E. Ring's recently.

As Lee Gray was riding in the back of a wagon Sunday, the horse suddenly gave a leap throwing him out on the back of his head and shoulders. He was picked up insensible, was badly shaken up but it is hoped not seriously hurt.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Mae Cole of Center Conway spent a day as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cole.

Edwin Eaton, wife and baby of Freedom have been the guests of her aunt, Mrs. Hiram Philbrook.

Carroll Wakefield went to Portland two days to visit his sister, Ora Wakefield who is attending business college.

Mrs. Judson Osmond of Portland and Mrs. Wilber Osmond of Center Conway were in the place lately making calls on friends.

S. E. Burbank of North Conway took dinner with H. Wiley one day last week. He has been doing carpenter work on Mr. Nesmith's new cottage for the past seven weeks.

William Garland and family of Lovell were in the place Monday, the 15th, also his daughter, Mrs. Orlin Mason and her twin children. They visited Mr. Garland's father, Albra Garland, and his brother John. Philip Boynton of Conway called to see friends.

For the last week we have been receiving the needed rain. At Center Conway it has rained the water so it has covered the intervals. One man had to take a boat to get his cattle home. Some places in the road, they said it was almost impassable with a team. But all are glad of the rain.

On Saturday, the 6th, Timothy Anderson aged 81 years, died. He lived just over the Conway line in Brownfield. He leaves two daughters and one son. The son William has cared for him and done all he could for his comfort. The burial was Monday afternoon on the home place. Rev. T. Baker conducted the services.

Hebron Academy.

The 90th anniversary exercises of Hebron Academy began Sunday with a baccalaureate sermon at the church, that has been decorated by the junior class. The graduating class dressed in caps and gowns, led by Eleanor Wright, class '05, marched into the church. The sermon was by Rev. Howard B. Grose of Jamaica Plains, Mass. The subject, "The Stewardship of culture." It was in part a memorial to the late Mrs. Sturdivant. Music by a mixed quartet of undergraduates and solo by Helen Bonney, '90, of Portland.

Monday evening there was a prize debate held in the church. Because of various reasons only three of the disputants were able to take part; they were Charles K. Flood, Nelson I. Mixer and Roscoe H. Hupper. All three did remarkably well, showing that no pains had been spared in studying up the subject, which read, "Resolved: That the study of the classics furnishes a better equipment for the study of the sciences." To break the monotony of the speaking, piano solos were rendered at suitable intervals by Robert Messer and Miss Lamb.

At eight o'clock Tuesday evening, the class of 1905 held a reception in Sturdivant House which was the guests gathered there. The receiving committee consisted of Emma A. Boynton, Ethel L. Gary, Harriet B. Matthews, Parker S. Merriam, Sylvan Shurtleff and William E. Speake. The guests were presented to these by the Junior March, E. H. Hupper. Shortly after nine, Sherbourne B. Kallach, '03, delivered the oration and presented the class gift to the trustees. Mr. Amick of Freeport accepted the gift in behalf of the trustees. The gift this year consists of beautiful framed copies of old Dutch masterpieces which are to decorate two of the reception rooms. Light refreshments were served and then the number of guests thinned out shortly after ten when everything became quiet in that beautiful Home on the hill.

RUMFORD FALLS.

Strathglass Commandery, No. 21, K. T. Strathglass Commandery, K. T., which has worked for a year under a dispensation was constituted a commandery, Friday evening, June 12, with the service of the order. There are 32 knights at the commandery is numbered 21. The following officers were installed:

E. C. F. O. Walker, Gen.—Waldo Pettigill, C. G. C. L. Lovell, Prel.—D. B. Perry, S. W.—F. O. Eaton, J. W.—L. B. Treas.—C. M. Bisbee, Rec.—F. P. Savage, Standard bearer—O. A. Pettigill, Sword bearer—A. H. Hall, Var.—Elna Pratt, Genial James Shes, Guards—Wallace Moore, James Stephenson, James Sturdivant.

Merle Clough is at his home in Livermore for a few days.

Mrs. Hiram West has gone to Bangor to visit her father for awhile.

C. E. Howe and family have returned from Camp Prospect in the Rangeleys.

It is expected that a beginning will be made on the Carnegie library by July 1. Pine street is being piped for city water and a crew of Italians are doing the digging.

C. O. Walker and family and Ralph Woodman and family are spending a couple weeks at Mr. Walker's camp.

Payson Smith, superintendent of schools, is to receive the degree of A. M. from Tufts College at commencement this week.

An emergency hospital has been established at 31 Lockness Road. There are five beds in the hospital. The first patient was Arthur Parker, who while at work in the international mill was caught by a shaft and injured badly about the head.

Louis Reed died at his home in Mexico, Friday morning, after an illness of two months from Bright's disease. He leaves a widow and four daughters. The funeral services were from his home at Mexico, Sunday, and were conducted by Rev. G. B. Hamford.

F. Q. Abbott of Zircon has been granted a permit to establish a private telephone line from Rumford Corner to Smith's crossing. It will extend from the corner down the river, through South Center, Zircon, South Rumford, Wyman district and Smith's crossing to Rumford Falls. He has subscribers enough to make the line successful.

Early Birds.

Early birds are all right if we are prepared to properly care for them, and if not the April and May hatched chick will outstrip them in the race. The most important factor in early hatches is to get fertile eggs. The breeding pens should consist of birds that have not been previously mated for some time, and in the case of show birds care should be taken to see that they are vigorous, healthy and fully recovered from any setback they may have sustained as a result of confinement in the showroom. A smaller number of females should be placed in the pen than usual, and the daily ration should not be lacking in animal and green food. The houses should be comfortably warm, and the eggs should be gathered as soon as laid and kept where they will not be injured by freezing weather. The fowls should be induced to exercise and scratch for most of their food. Those that stand around huddled up in a corner of the house or on the perch will lay few fertile eggs.

Growth in Poultry Industry.

It is gratifying to note that the prosperity which the poultry industry has enjoyed the past two years is leading to a very general disposition to improve the flocks. Breeders of pure bred poultry who let the people know what they have are getting plenty of orders, and the stock is going to those who produce the bulk of our poultry—the plain farmers of the land. There is more of a demand today for utility poultry than ever before, and the fancier who breeds for the highest utility is the one the farmer is after. Of course fancy points can be added to the useful qualities of poultry, and breed characteristics should be preserved, but the average producer wants eggs and meat and the breeds that will furnish them most economically. These essentials should never be sacrificed to any more fancy—Stockman and Farmer.

East Oxford Local Union.

The semi-annual meeting of the East Oxford Local Union, Y. P. S. C. E., will be held at East Hebron, Tuesday, June 23. Program:

Forenoon:
11.00 Devotional service led by.....Rev. B. F. Turner, Buckfield
11.15 Business.....Mrs. A. L. Hawley, Mechanic Falls
11.25 Testimonials to the Value of Christian Endeavor by all delegates, led by.....Mrs. A. L. Hawley, Mechanic Falls

Afternoon:
1.30 Song service, led by.....Mrs. T. S. Barnes, South Paris
1.45 A Model C. E. Meeting. Topic—How May We Learn to Use Our Sword? led by.....Rev. Frederick Newport, Oxford
2.00 Topic—The Value of the C. E. Society to the smaller churches.....Rev. H. H. Bishop, Paris
2.30 Talk to the Children.....Rev. C. D. Crane, State Pres.

Quiet Hour.....
7.30 Song service, led by.....Mrs. T. S. Barnes, South Paris
7.45 Business, Presentation of Banner.....
8.00 Address—Fisherman's Look.....Rev. C. D. Crane, Yarmouth
Closing service.....

Special rates on the Grand Trunk and P. & R. F. R. R.

WEST MINOT.

Garfield Whitney is running a fish cart.

Mrs. Harriett Crooker was in Portland last week.

Mrs. Ed Cloutier and son were at Oxford, Thursday.

Merton Rowe started Saturday on a three months' fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Whittemore of Auburn were in the place Sunday.

Mr. Sands and Linnie DeCoster from Lewiston were at A. DeCoster's Thursday.

Mrs. Ellen Bradford spent part of last week at Mechanic Falls returning home Sunday.

A party here took a hayrack ride to Harris hill Tuesday night to the entertainment.

Roy Hamilton of Auburn was at Mrs. S. A. Whittemore's, Sunday. His wife and little Minta returned with him.

Grace Atwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Atwood, who spent last year in the West, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bonney and two sons of Goff Hill, Auburn, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Perry last Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Walker and children of Yarmouth spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Millett. Mrs. Jennie Walker of Portland is spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Harriett Crooker. Mr. and Mrs. George Bean and children of Paris were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rowe, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodwin and daughter of Mechanic Falls were at her mother's, Mrs. E. A. Atwood's, Sunday.

NORTH CHATHAM.

Horace Chandler remains about the same.

Seth Thomas is peeling bark for Presto Chandler.

R. K. Eastman went to Kearsarge village, N. H., to see Joe Mitchell who is very feeble.

The drought has broken; also a lot of bridges. The bridge over the Russell Charles bro

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EAST FRYEBURG.

Too Much Water.

Some of the farmers in this vicinity are having more water than they want. Saturday about noon the water first broke over the river bank, running into the meadow owned by B. G. Seavey, E. L. Bell and A. A. McIntire. In less than four hours the whole length of the bank from Hemlock bridge was down through the whole crop. Percy Walker's whole planting, corn and potatoes, were all under water; probably will ruin the whole crop.

E. E. Bell was at his farm house, last Sunday.

Will Brine of Sweden is at his sister's, Mrs. Denning's.

Ethel McIntire has returned to her home, going from here to Danvers, Mass. Ellis Blake and Susie Rowe of Denmark were at Henry Lord's, one evening last week.

Freeman Perkins and Mrs. Lizzie Perkins from East Fryeburg were here, last Thursday.

Fred Kenerson went to Lovell, last Friday, for a load of lumber from his logging camp.

The general agent for the Deering harvesting machinery was at J. J. Pike's a few days last week.

E. E. Abbott and J. E. Hutchins were in the place fishing on Kezar, last Thursday; also T. S. McIntire.

Bessie Walker is at home from Millbrook where she spent the winter and spring with her brother George.

Mrs. Grace Chadbourn and Mrs. A. J. McIntire visited B. W. McKenney's family, last Friday, together with Miss Cameron, teacher of the West Fryeburg school, and Edith Farrington, one of the teachers in the graded school at the village, and her mother, Mrs. C. W. Farrington.

This little place turned out quite a good number to attend the Farmers' Institute at Fryeburg, center, last Wednesday. Amos Warren and family, Elmer Hamden and wife, Walter Sanborn, John J. and Enoch Pike, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McIntire were those who attended.

EAST OTISFIELD.

S. D. Jilison and wife of Oxford spent Sunday in this place.

Mrs. Levi Dingley of Casco spent Thursday at E. R. Stone's.

S. H. Wardwell went to Brighton, Mass., Monday, with calves.

Robert Ames of Norway is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Charles Scribner.

Ass Frost and Mrs. David Frost of Norway were in this place, Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Barton and daughter Mae of Casco spent Wednesday at Peter Wood's.

Will Groat and family of Newton, Mass., who have been visiting friends in this place, returned home, Friday.

Mrs. Wm. O. Hough and Anna Scribner of Portland were in town, Sunday, to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Silas Scribner.

LYNNVILLE.

Charles McKee is hauling shooks to Norway for J. Bartlett.

Amos McKee of Lovell is sick with the grip at Ann Flint's.

Mrs. Allen has moved to her old home on the hill at East Stoneham.

Burnham and Silas McKee are making binders for L. H. Burnham.

Capt. Hastings' health is very much improved since he came to Albany to board.

Mell Allen has gone into the dairy business. He has two cows and two calves.

Seth McAllister will move to South Paris where he has a job in the Sift Factory.

Lester Cobb is sick with tonsillitis. Mrs. Cordwell has been sick for the past three weeks.

There have been three cases of grip in the past three weeks. Minnie McKee, Annas McAllister and Leona McKee. G. M. Small is making shooks at East Stoneham for Virgo Littlefield and he boards at Silas McKee's where he has boarded all winter.

L. H. Burnham can run his mill while the water lasts. He has a crew in the woods peeling bark. Alton Cordwell has got through work for Mr. Burnham and moved to Locke's Mills.

WEST FRYEBURG.

Mrs. Charles Stevens has gone to Corinth for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Charles are camping at Kezar, as has been their custom for a number of seasons, for a short vacation from business cares.

Mrs. Maria Clark of Keasarge, who spent the winter with Mrs. Martha Frye, but has been absent among friends for some weeks, was a guest at Frank L. Eastman's on her return to Mrs. Frye's at Fish Street.

Arthur Clarke of Blaine, Kansas, who has been among relatives at Keasarge, N. H., is now at his cousin's, Mrs. Frank L. Eastman's. Mr. Clarke's home is about 20 miles from the worst of the Kansas floods which have occurred since his departure from home. His barn has had a part of the roof demolished by a cyclone since he left home. He will return very soon.

HARRISON.

I. O. O. F. Memorial Service.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs held their annual memorial service at the Congregational church, Sunday afternoon.

The church was finely decorated and was filled to its seating capacity and beyond. Prominent among the pulp decorations were the three links and the letters, I. O. O. F., in white.

The sermon was by Rev. J. W. Grindell of Center Lovell. Special music was rendered by the church choir, assisted by May Jordan of Bridgton, soloist.

About fifty brothers and sisters were in line, and after the services at the church they marched to the cemetery where the graves of deceased members were decorated with appropriate services.

Mrs. Laura Tolman has been quite ill, but is improving. Mrs. Emma Richardson of Castine is with her.

Rev. W. P. Curtis of Rhode Island, formerly pastor of the Free Baptist church here, is visiting friends in town.

Mildred Dudley spent a few days at home before going to Poland Spring where she is to work during the summer.

One of the lake steamers started on her regular trips, Monday, the 15th. It is understood that the other will start in about a week.

The Harrison ball team have ordered new suits, light brown with black trimmings. The rain prevented the game with Oxford, last Saturday.

Three members of the class which graduates from Bridgton Academy, this week, are from this town—Lawrence Wight, Ethel Haskell and May Whitney.

Elsie Jordan is working for Mrs. S. H. Ring.

Ernest Wentworth and Bert Davis are peeling fir for A. F. Davis.

Ernest Wentworth and family have moved to the S. C. Davis place.

There was a prayer meeting at Joshua Howard's, last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Alta Hill and daughter, who have been visiting at C. N. Wentworth's returned to South Bridgton, Sunday.

SOUTH HARRISON.

A Baked Bean Supper.

There will be a baked bean supper this Friday night, June 19, in the hall on the fair ground.

Joshua Strout is fixing his tie-up, etc. Geo. P. Carsley's new house is up and boarded.

Howard Randall and wife have made a trip to Portland.

Mrs. Joel Mason of Raymond is visiting relatives here.

Jimson Thompson and his sister, Mrs. Charles Adams, are visiting relatives in Gorham.

Mrs. Charles Horton of Brattleborough, Vt., is stopping at her father's, Richard Landon's.

Fred Flagg has bought a horse of Henry Packard. Messrs. Hancock and Merrow have bought Eugene Johnson's colt.

James Thomas on Maple Ridge has peeled about 100,000 feet of hemlock in the northern part of the town. He has 14 acres of hoed crops planted.

EAST HEBRON.

Winfield Scott Bucknam.

Winfield Scott Bucknam, a well known citizen aged 55 years, died of heart disease Saturday. He was a native of Minot, was a soldier in the late Civil war and a pensioner. Funeral services occurred Wednesday.

Mr. Bucknam had a heart trouble which compelled him to sell off his cows last spring as the trouble increased rapidly. On last Saturday he drove to A. C. Dow's store and returned home but did not live until the doctor arrived.

His wife, Mrs. Abbie (Lowell) Bucknam and only son Chester live on the farm in South Buckfield where their home has been for many years.

CYRUS RAMSDALL.

Cyrus Ramsdall passed away after suffering from a long illness which he bore patiently. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Caroline (Farris) Ramsdall. Two daughters, Mrs. Alma, wife of Willie Packard, Mrs. Addie, wife of Willis Thom. Frank and Willie Ramsdall, all living near their old home and Willie, the youngest, son lives with his mother on the farm.

Lewis Stapen of Turner passed away on Thursday. Cyrus Ramsdall on Friday and W. S. Bucknam on Saturday. They lived within two miles of each other.

The C. E. S. held their annual meeting with the Free Baptist society, East Hebron, next Wednesday.

A. M. Fogg is sick again from over exertion in the sick room of a friend who recently passed away.

Children's day was postponed on account of the storm on Saturday, the day for the rehearsal, to next Sabbath.

The late rains revived the grass, and the seed that laid dormant in the ground since planting, has sprouted and broken through the ground.

Annie Currier of Norway is staying with her grandma Fuller for a few weeks. Mrs. Fuller is nearly blind and keeps someone with her all the time to assist her.

KEZAR FALLS.

Floor Gate Way.

Norton & Stanley had unloaded about 400 bushels of corn in the grist mill, last week, when the floor gate way letting the entire lot into the water under the mill, but it was nearly all recovered after shutting the water off from the flume and the most of it was in bags it was saved in very good condition.

Rev. Mr. Peare gave an excellent discourse in the Methodist church, Sunday morning, and in the afternoon went to North Parsonsfield to deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Parsonsfield Seminary.

PORTER.

Aldore French has a very nice spring colt.

Moses Libby of Poland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bickford.

Mrs. John Stanley, who has been quite sick with the grip, is gaining slowly.

Charles Roberts and wife have moved over with his father-in-law, Frank York.

Joseph Towle has gone to Freedom, N. H., to spend the summer with Mrs. Richard Towle.

Mrs. Joseph French went to Portland, a few days ago, to take care of her daughter who is sick with the measles.

Mrs. Everett Wentworth is visiting her sister in Limington, Mrs. Wynnan. Mrs. Amos Mason is visited by her father from Limington.

BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. Harriet Lovering.

Mrs. Harriet Lovering, aged 92 years, died Monday forenoon at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Wm. H. Bacon, where during her long widowhood she has resided, leading a quiet retired life. She was a daughter of Thomas Long, being the oldest surviving member of that prominent family. She was born in the original Long homestead, now the summer home of Hon. John D. Long, and was a twin sister of the late Hon. Washington Long.

Morrill & Cole have an up to date meat wagon.

C. R. Whitton of Augusta came Monday to visit his mother.

Geo. Dunham is at home from Boston on account of a broken arm.

Howard P. Shaw of Boston School of Technology is vacationing at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irish spent several days with their daughter's family in Auburn.

There was no meeting, Sunday, at the Baptist church, owing to the absence of the pastor.

Master Charlie Atwood of Rumford Falls is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Atwood.

Mrs. Merritt Parsons has returned from Nashua, where she had been on account of the death of a brother.

Ella Irish graduated from Farmington Normal School, last week. Her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Irish, were present at her graduation.

After the frost and drought, we rejoice over the downpour, hoping for a revival of our struggling plant life, when lo, another pest arrives. Our peas and beans are being stripped of foliage by a slug or the larva of the snail. We find them in clusters. The Colorado beetle is fast, and we suppose the tripeta and 30 others, but we were not looking for this new arrival, still we rejoice at the "early and latter rain."

Warren Bumpus has a hen that has taken to a tree for nesting. In a large maple nine feet from the ground, where a limb had broken out, seeing the hen fly up he discovered a fine nest of eggs. Henry Shaw on South hill recently had about one hundred broilers stolen. V. P. DeCoster lost about 40. Alas, for the depravity of man. But what can we expect when men exalted to high positions steal their thousands.

BROWNFIELD.

Children's Day.

Children's day was observed, Sunday, with appropriate exercises. The following program, arranged by Mrs. A. J. Cameron, was given:

Singing.....Children
Reading.....Vera Vadsworth
Dialogue.....Three children
Solo.....Elsie Whitney
Recitation.....Percival Rounds
Song.....Eight children
Recitation.....Pearl Warren
.....Herbert Walker
.....Alfred Reid
.....Leola Butterfield
.....Belle Walker
.....Carl Johnson
.....Elsie McLaughlin
Dialogue.....Eight young ladies

Followed by remarks by Rev. A. J. Cameron and singing of Coronation by congregation. The church was very prettily decorated with ferns, potted plants, etc. The day will be long remembered by the children.

Lená Perkins is at home from Intervale, for a short time.

W. M. Allen has been spending a few days with Charles Harmon.

There will be a farce given by the Universalist circle, Saturday, June 20.

People are looking happy again. It has rained all the week, but "enough is as good as a feast."

J. B. Danforth was elected Master of the Grange for the remainder of the year, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Gertrude Fessenden is spending a few weeks with her friend, Mrs. Hattie Burnham of Freedom.

Rev. A. J. Cameron attended the conference at Albany, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

CASCO.

Mrs. Annie Chute is at work at Robert Brackett's.

Millie Mann has returned from Farmington Normal school.

Elmer Parker of New Hampshire is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. R. E. Gay has returned from the hospital and is gaining daily.

A. C. Mann, wife and daughter were in Portland on a brief visit, recently.

S. H. Mann and Ada Merrill visited E. C. Jordan of Poland, Sunday, June 14.

Mrs. Edwin Poore of Rockland has been visiting her sister, Eva N. Spiller.

E. J. Durand has had a piazza attached to his house. It is a great improvement.

A number from here attended the General Baptist conference at South Otisfield, June 7.

Henry Moores has closed his shop over Mann's store and gone to Naples, where he will run a barber shop, this summer.

Rev. B. H. Penwarden, recently of Phippsburg, has moved his family into the Hamlin House at the village for the summer.

David Decker and wife of Illinois have been in town recently, visiting relatives. He sold the house and farm owned by his aunt, Mrs. Rebecca Decker, to S. O. Hancock.

Clarence Grover, who has been dangerously sick with typhoid pneumonia, at his brother's, Frank Grover's, is now convalescent. His parents and brothers from Stoneham have been here to see him.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Arthur Saunders is quite sick. A physician attends him.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Millett and children visited Mrs. Millett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rice, recently.

The next circle, June 23, will be at the home of Florence Brown, the proceeds to be given Mrs. Charles, who has been sick a long time.

Burnham Rice carried his mother to Chapman, the 14th. He returned home the first of the week, but Mrs. Rice will remain and assist her daughter, Mrs. George Kneeland, with her household awhile.

Last Sunday afternoon, Walter, one of B. W. Rice's little boys, looked out of the window and saw a deer within two rods of the house. He wandered around the house for some time before making his disappearance in the woods.

NORTH FRYEBURG.

Half-a-Hundred Children Attend Church. Sunday was observed as Children's Day, and some fifty or more little ones from this and neighboring towns listened to a very interesting and instructive sermon. We thought the older ones might profit by it as well.

Stephen Buzzell is at home from Fryeburg for a few days.

Susie Rollins of Fryeburg Center is at work for Mrs. Mary Pillsbury.

Mrs. Benj. Wiley of Portland is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Andrews.

Mrs. Eliza Evans of Portland is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Martha Farrington. Charles Gray is at home from Biddeford, where he has been at work. He is in poor health.

The remains of Alvin Kneeland of Portland were brought here Monday. The interment was at Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Abare of Lowell, Mass., who have been visiting relatives in town the past week, returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lord of Kezar Falls were in town last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lord's mother, Mrs. Sarah Woodman.

Mrs. V. H. Johnson was visited last week by her brother, Dr. W. H. Kimball of Portland, also her mother, Mrs. Ade Kimball. Mrs. Kimball will remain several weeks.

E. S. Hutchins has the finest garden we have seen this season. It is at his camp at Kezar and was not injured by the frosts or drought. They had lettuce and pepperglass last week.

RUMFORD.

Ninth Grade Graduation.

The graduation exercises of the ninth grade in Rumford P. S. school occurred at the Congregational church, last Friday. In spite of the heavy rain the church was well filled and the following program was listened to with much pleasure by all:

Music.....School
Prayer.....School
Declaration.....Lee Joel Thurston
Music.....School
Dumb Bell Drill.....Roy Small
Harmonies solo.....Roy Small
Duet.....Marjorie Thurston, Edith Martin
Essay.....The Indians.....Roy Small
Flag Drill.....School
Music.....School
Conferring Diplomas.....Superintendent
America.....School
Benediction.....School

Mrs. J. H. Estes is visiting friends in Bridgton.

M. E. Barker has moved back from Auburn to his farm at Rumford Point.

No crossing teams at the Point and Center ferries, Saturday, on account of high water disturbing the posts to which the ropes are attached.

SWEDEN.

Irving S. Chandler caught a fine string of trout, Monday.

Gideon T. Riddon will be at Riddon schoolhouse, Sunday at 10.45.

Wilber W. Wilson caught a fine large pickerel in Kezar pond, Saturday.

Miss Merrill of North Norway is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. S. Bennett.

Rev. E. S. Doughty preached at the M. E. church, Sunday at 2.30 p. m.

The municipal officers have had a crew of men working upon the new State road, the past week.

Dean Andrews and Miss Webber of Danvers, Mass., are expected this week at O. P. Saunders'.

Mr. and Mrs. Erving O. Maxwell of Peabody, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Maxwell.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank W. Evans of North Stratford, N. H., are expected at his old home, Mrs. John Evans'.

Charles M. Evans goes the 15th, with his team to C. M. Trufant's, Bridgton Highlands, for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stone went the past week to Norway to pack their goods and move them to their new home in Sweden.

Rev. A. S. Ladd will preach at South Waterford, Sunday morning, June 21, at 10.30, and at Sweden in the afternoon at 2.30.

Ben D. Knight saw a deer in M. E. Perry's field, below his house, Wednesday. Deer and their tracks are frequently seen near here.

Eva B. Evans went to Hebron, Saturday, to listen to the baccalaureate sermon, Sunday, and the graduating exercises of the academy through the week.

The remains of Elgin A. Kneeland of Portland, son of Ephraim Kneeland of Lovell, were brought to Sweden, Monday, June 16th, for burial in the family lot in the Sanderson cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Knapp are at present at the launching of Capt. Chas. Adams' new vessel. They met with many delays but arrived in season to climb on board before the vessel slid into the water. They returned on the evening train.

Evergreen assembly Pythian sisterhood entertained Fraternal Lodge Knights of Pythias, Saturday evening, June 13. A short address from the chair was given in which thanks and appreciation for past kindnesses and free use of their hall was extended to Fraternal Lodge. Refreshments of cakes, pies and lemonade were served, followed by a pleasant social hour of recitations, songs and dances. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham of South Paris were present, to whom Evergreen Assembly and Fraternal Lodge both extended a warm hand of welcome and an invitation to come again. The assembly expects to entertain Oxford assembly on the evening of June 27. The Knights of Pythias hall is being thoroughly repaired inside. Josiah Mudge is doing the work.

The post-office at North Fryeburg will become a domestic money order office July 1st.

Advertised Letters, Norway.
Mrs. A. L. Holmes, Mrs. Clarence Lowell, Maggie Banger, Archie Callwell, Frank Brown, Dr. Willie Baker.



Jim Dumps found Mrs. Dumps distressed. About an unexpected guest. "There's nothing in the house to eat!" "There's something better far than meat." The guest endorsed Jim's view with vim. When helped to "Force" by "Sunny Jim."

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Farmers are Eating "Force."
"Thanks for 'Force.' I eat it three times a day. Folks call me 'Sunny Jim.' Took some to the country with me on a visit and the farmers out there are eating 'Force' now."
"WILL RUFF."

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Is full of Bargains. Crockery, Glass, China ware, Jewelry, Cutlery, Tinware, Agateware, etc. Largest line of CANDY in town. F. H. BECK, Proprietor, Norway, Maine. Open Every Evening

EAST WATERFORD.

Charles Gammon is running a meat cart.

George Hilton is improving, but isn't out yet.

Ernest Bean has been sick with pneumonia, but is gaining rapidly.

Alton and Chauncey Ames are working in the chair factory at Harrison.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY

Railroad Change of Time.
The summer schedule of trains of the Grand Trunk Railway went into effect Sunday. Trains leave Norway as follows: for Portland 4:40; 9:20 a. m., 4:10 p. m., for Montreal 5:50 a. m., 10:05 p. m., for Island Pond 3:30 p. m., for Berlin 10:10 a. m., for Portland 5:50 p. m., for Montreal 10:05 p. m.
Electric cars do not connect with the early morning train, but do with the remainder, leaving Norway for east bound trains 9:10 a. m., 4 p. m., for west bound 9:40 a. m., 3:15 and 10 p. m. Sundays, for east bound 5:35 p. m., for west bound 10 a. m., 10 p. m.
Mails leave for the east 9:10 a. m., 4 and 9:30 p. m., for west 9:40 a. m., 3:15 p. m., stages, 4 p. m. Arrive east 10:20 a. m., 3:45, 10:30 p. m., west 9:45 a. m., 4:30 p. m. South Paris 10:20 a. m. and 3:45 p. m. Stages 9 a. m.

Fifty-six New Members Added.
The Norway Grange held its meeting in Norway Opera House, Saturday. The grange had invited other granges in this vicinity, and considering the very rainy day a goodly number attended. Fifty-six new members received the degrees that admitted them as members. The degree work took up several hours of the day. Norway Grange is one of the largest in the state, numbering between 300 and 400 members. Music was furnished by a male quartet consisting of Albert Towne and A. L. Wyman tenors, C. P. Barnes and Frank Towne basses. L. C. Bateman spoke and several others.

Mrs. Rose Needham has moved to Woodford.

Pearl Morey and wife spent Sunday at Robert E. Walker's.

Hosea B. Abbott has gone to Rangely village to work for the summer.

Isabel Woodbury of Norway has been spending a week visiting at F. S. Chandler's.

Don't forget that you will have to pay 10 per cent interest on delinquent 1902 taxes.

The Tabard Inn station was opened Thursday, and the books were taken at a lively rate.

D. Cromet Clark of Augusta spent Sunday in town. He was on his way to Watertown, N. Y., for a brief visit.

Mrs. Charles P. Barnes has been chosen superintendent of the junior department of the Congregational Sunday school.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Wells of New York, who have been at the Beals Hotel several weeks, went to Bemis, Tuesday.

O. Warren Brown was here from New York where he has a position on The World, to attend his grandfather's, E. H. Brown's funeral, the past week.

Katherine Towne is teaching a school at Spurr's Corner, Otisfield, finishing the term for another term for another teacher, which will be about three weeks longer.

Five and one-half inches of rain fell in Friday and Saturday rains. The brooks are full and consequently the larger bodies fed by them are nearly to high water mark.

Rev. B. F. Fickett will preach at North Norway chapel Sunday afternoon, June 28, at 2:45 and following that each Sunday at the same hour except the fourth Sunday in each month.

O. E. Warren and daughter Fannie of Rochester, N. H., were here to attend E. H. Brown's funeral. Mrs. Warren, Mr. Brown's daughter, has been here several days to assist Mr. and Mrs. G. Julian Brown in caring for Mr. Brown.

Letter to D. S. Sanborn.
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Dear Sir: You can afford the best, and your business experience has shown you that it is also the cheapest. If all men would learn this, they'd save a lot of money.

Devote Lead and Zinc costs a little more per gallon than mixed paint, but it takes fewer gallons to paint a house, and it wears longer. It is the cheapest paint in the world.

Mr. Frank A. Morse, druggist of West Rutland, Vt., writes:
I ordered 15 gallons of your paint, thinking from experience with other paints, that I would require that amount to cover my house. I used only 8 gallons.

Mr. M. Austin Belcher, of Winthrop, Mass., bought eleven gallons; he only used six.
Our agent at Morrisville, N. Y., Mr. E. N. Dexter, writes:

On every job I have sold, Devote Lead and Zinc has given good satisfaction and has taken a less quantity than expected.

We could make this letter a hundred times as long with such examples.
Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOTE & CO.,
New York.
P. S. F. P. Stone sells our paint.

SOUTH PARIS.
E. C. Field of South Paris was before Judge Manser of Auburn Wednesday morning, June 10, to answer to the charge of intoxication. He was found guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars and costs, but not having the "necessary" was committed to jail for thirty days.

Pleasant street school closed Friday, June 12. The names of those promoted to a higher grade are: Sadie Howard, Izora Cordwell, Ella Clark, Gertrude Howard, Hattie Crockett and Hana Martin. Hilda Chandler, Howard Davis, Walter Davis, Willie Abbott, Gladys Spiller and Graden Martin were not absent. Marjorie Chandler and Gertrude Davis were absent only one-half day. Annie M. Jenne, teacher.

Norway Heavy Taxpayers

The People and Corporation Who Pay Large Sums of Money, This Year, to Run the Town and Village Affairs.
The following is a list of taxpayers in Norway whose taxes exceed \$40. The amount in the first column is the town tax, in the second, the village corporation tax. Tax rate for the town .018, the corporation .0045. The collector will be glad to receive your money and give you a receipt for it.

W. Abbott	\$33.10	\$9.95
C. H. Adams	73.96	19.18
E. G. Allen, heirs	32.40	8.10
A. F. Andrews & Sons	212.13	50.83
S. D. Andrews	49.64	12.42
Geo. H. Austin	30.33	7.58
Maryann and Jennie Baker	32.35	8.13
H. J. Bangs	130.12	32.47
Mrs. Gertrude Barker	102.47	25.65
L. L. Bartlett	45.07	12.17
Mary E. Bartlett, heirs	36.00	9.00
Lizzie and Agnes Bell	42.40	10.61
Prudent Bedard	31.57	8.57
S. A. Bennett	32.39	8.75
G. O. Bennett	37.22	10.03
E. F. Bicknell	32.40	8.10
Wm. D. Bishop	30.00	7.50
John Blake, heirs	38.00	9.00
J. F. Bolster	86.92	22.41
E. F. Bradburn	30.00	7.50
Orin Brown	56.50	14.13
H. P. Brown	47.35	11.84
Alvin Brown	62.30	15.58
H. W. Buck	40.30	10.08
G. W. Carter	31.20	8.50
Jackson Clark	42.75	10.69
Horace Cole, heirs	47.40	11.85
Geo. A. Cole	41.71	10.83
Mrs. Elm L. Cole	51.98	12.99
E. A. Cox	54.51	13.63
James Crockett	128.95	32.01
J. O. Crocker	36.70	9.18
J. P. Cullinan	32.30	8.08
O. M. Cummings	61.23	15.30
C. M. Cummings & Sons	769.60	189.69
E. A. Danforth	42.35	10.59
James Danforth	125.87	32.32
G. W. Danforth	41.97	10.49
W. H. & G. H. Dunn	49.45	12.36
V. E. Dunn	59.11	14.78
F. Q. Elliott	106.30	26.57
A. P. Farham	32.40	8.10
C. A. Flint	48.29	12.07
Corra E. Frost	146.05	37.19
H. B. Foster	51.30	12.83
Mrs. N. A. Foster	42.30	10.58
C. E. Freeman	74.59	19.33
A. N. French	63.05	15.76
A. C. Frost	51.93	12.99
D. V. Frost	48.27	12.07
H. P. Frost	38.53	9.63
Roswell Frost	45.63	11.30
Irving Frost	45.63	11.30
N. B. Frost	45.63	11.30
A. G. Grover, heirs	45.63	11.30
Mrs. J. A. Harding	32.39	8.08
Hannah Harris, heirs	35.80	9.00
G. L. Hathaway	42.30	10.58
Sarah E. Hawkins, devisee	35.80	9.00
A. H. Hebard	37.50	9.38
Arthur Hebard	37.50	9.38
Inez V. Hills	37.50	9.38
W. C. Hobbs	114.01	28.75
G. W. Holmes	33.72	8.43
Julia A. Horne	78.30	19.58
Mrs. H. L. Howe	124.30	31.08
Freeland Howe	124.30	31.08
A. F. Jackson	39.22	9.80
H. J. Jones	39.22	9.80
Mrs. Kate H. Jones	39.22	9.80
A. K. Kimball	122.35	30.59
Frank Kimball	122.35	30.59
Wm. C. Leavitt	42.30	10.58
Hiram L. Libby	32.40	8.10
Geo. W. Locke	38.50	9.63
G. C. McCallis	32.40	8.10
M. H. Merriam	47.55	12.07
S. I. Millett, heirs	245.15	60.13
A. J. & F. L. Millett	62.30	15.58
N. W. Millett, heirs	62.30	15.58
S. H. Millett	62.30	15.58
Lizzie R. Mixer	42.30	10.58
R. K. Morrill	42.30	10.58
Sarah E. Morse	31.20	8.08
J. H. Murdoch	31.20	8.08
A. J. Nevers	31.20	8.08
A. C. Noble, heirs	31.20	8.08
Norway Trade Assoc.	72.00	18.00
Co-op Trade Assoc.	72.00	18.00
Shoreland Co.	72.00	18.00
Lodge, L. O. O. F.	65.00	16.25
Water Co.	364.50	90.00
M. G. Paris St.	42.30	10.58
Savings Bank	162.00	40.50
Amos F. Noyes	35.55	8.89
Hedden Noyes	35.55	8.89
Geo. Noyes	48.85	12.21
Anna and G. L. Noyes	144.00	36.00
E. H. Noyes	48.85	12.21
H. Noyes & Co.	108.00	27.00
F. W. Noyes	720.00	175.20
Oxford Light Co.	35.00	9.00
Lodge, F. & A. M.	35.00	9.00
H. C. Oxnard	60.42	15.11
C. W. Palmer	35.00	9.00
C. L. Paragard	40.41	10.11
John V. Parsons	40.41	10.11
Partridge Bros.	141.78	35.45
Osgood Perry	40.41	10.11
Wm. C. Perry	40.41	10.11
Wm. S. Pierce	60.89	15.22
E. H. Pike	32.40	8.10
Horace Pike	84.85	21.21
Dennis Pike	47.10	11.78
Frank T. Pike	80.30	20.08
James Pledge	36.77	9.19
C. A. Pledge	76.50	19.13
S. B. & Z. S. Pledge	125.00	31.25
T. P. Richardson	37.02	9.26
Albert Richardson	42.30	10.58
M. G. Richardson	42.30	10.58
C. F. Ridlon	77.56	19.39
A. H. Robbins	51.30	12.83
J. A. Roberts	31.70	8.03
J. T. Rowe	35.35	8.84
J. A. Rowe, heirs	35.35	8.84
Jason F. Rowe	35.35	8.84
Hyerson & Howe	50.15	12.54
F. W. Sanborn	34.90	8.73
T. H. Sawyer	70.18	17.54
Thos. Smiley	83.70	20.93
H. D. Smith	81.00	20.25
Smiley Shoe Store	81.00	20.25
M. P. Smith, heirs	32.40	8.10
Emma J. Smith	32.40	8.10
E. F. Smith	59.47	14.87
Jas. Smith	52.90	13.23
B. F. Smiley & Co.	37.30	9.33
A. J. Stearns	35.80	9.45
C. A. Stephens	154.96	38.74
Mary R. Stevens, heirs	35.80	9.45
F. F. Stevens	32.83	8.20
F. P. Stone	115.56	28.89
A. W. Thomas	42.30	10.58
E. B. Tabbs	42.30	10.58
Benl. Tucker	72.80	18.20
Cyrus Tucker, heirs	72.80	18.20
Olga E. Upton	42.30	10.58
G. E. Water	42.30	10.58
C. F. Whitman	42.30	10.58
W. W. Whitmarsh	42.30	10.58
Rachel P. Witt	65.97	16.49
Geo. W. Wood	120.00	29.25
J. A. Woodman	34.90	8.73
Cyrus Woodman	34.90	8.73
John Wyman	35.83	8.96
J. O. Yeaton	31.48	7.87

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W. T. Abbott \$45.00 \$22.50
Bradley, Gordon & Moulton 45.00 11.25
Mrs. Fred A. Cole 32.40 8.10
H. F. Faver 32.40 8.10
Mary A. Holden 32.40 8.10
Wm. Holt 32.40 8.10
C. G. Knight 54.00 13.50
South Paris Savings Bank 32.40 8.10
Albert Thompson 54.00 13.50
C. C. Tibbets 54.00 13.50
Abbie J. Tubbs 32.40 8.10
Mrs. J. W. Welch 50.40 12.60
H. F. Webb Co. 27.00 6.75
W. H. Whitcomb 128.00 31.04
Geo. A. Cole, Collector.

NORWAY LAKE.
Maud Partridge is at home for a few weeks.
Mrs. C. A. Stephens and daughter Edna came home from Boston, last week.
The N. L. S. C. E. elected officers for the next six months:
Pres. — Ellen Partridge.
V. Pres. — Ella Perry.
Sec. — Winifred Pottle.
Treas. — Scott Partridge.
Org. — Janet Pottle.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK.

Attended the Launching. Although Saturday was a very rainy day several from this place went to Bath to the launching of the new schooner, "John B. Bismarck," built by E. S. Crosby of that city. H. Sessions, A. W. Farnum, Henry and Samuel Russ and their wives were of the party. All pronounced it a very enjoyable occasion.

Dr. Hiram Abbott of Rumford Point was in this place Sunday.

Mrs. Harriet Billings recently made a visit to her son, L. S. Billings.

W. F. Harding has been quite sick but has nearly recovered his usual health.

Frank Millett, who has been visiting his children at Worcester, has returned.

Bert Eastman and wife have moved into the house with Mrs. Lucy Doughty and son.

Mrs. David Harding is still at Auburn caring for her sister who has been dangerously sick.

Mrs. Villa Haines of Richmond is visiting her mother and brother, F. C. Bryant and family.

Clarence Morton of South Paris has been staying at his camp at Concord pond enjoying the fishing.

Perry Lapham and wife of Rumford Falls visited Mrs. Lapham's parents, H. H. Russ, and went with the family to Bath.

S. D. Sessions and Matthew Finley of Providence, R. I., with W. S. Sessions as guide went to the lake region on a fishing trip, last Thursday. They had the full benefit of the rain storm.

Mrs. Mary Ackley is very feeble and confined to her bed. Being very aged her friends are anxious about her. Her daughter, Mrs. M. O. Dunn of New Sharon, came home, Sunday, to care for her. Her uncle, Coleman Hemingway of Rumford Falls, came with her.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

Mrs. Z. Gammon is sick with rheumatic fever.

George H. Jacobs from Roxbury, Mass., is visiting at M. L. Wyman's.

Mrs. Susie Longley with her three children, Dorothy, Marion and John, Jr., from Millinocket are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Putnam.

Will Cole, Arthur Chamberlain, George Anthony and Sherman Thorsteinson went on a fishing trip up Black brook and to Umbagog lake, last week. Owing to the heavy rain they could not do much fishing, getting only 20.

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NORWAY.
Special Prices given for large lots.

Wool Carding

At the Old Mill, South Waterford, Me.

Will be carried on as usual this season. We shall pay the highest cash price for wool either in fleeces or washed.

We sell the Adriatic Buckeye farm machinery and have Rakes, Mowers and Harrows in stock, call and see them. I am agent for the United States Separator "Best and most durable."

There is plenty of buttermilk at the Waterford creamery now, will sell at all at 1/2 cent per gallon until further notice.

W. K. HAMLIN

SO. WATERFORD.

NOTICE.

This is to certify that I, Lawson W. Cole, have for a valuable consideration granted to my son, Herman C. Cole, his time during his minority and shall claim none of his earnings or pay any bills of his contracting after this date.

Signed, LAWSON W. COLE.
Witness, C. R. WINTERBURN,
Woodstock, Me., April 27, 1903.

REPORT

Of the condition of the Norway National Bank (No. 1895) at Norway in the State of Maine, at the close of business, June 9, 1903.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts	\$142,455.97
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	29,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc.	28,255.00
Furniture & fixtures	2,550.00
Other real estate owned	81.04
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	6,136.46
Due from approved reserve agents	12,918.07
Checks and other cash items	84.59
Notes of other National Banks	2,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, cents	128.47
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$9,816.00
- Legal-tender notes	2,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	1,625.00
6 per cent. of circulation	1,625.00
Due from U. S. Treasury other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	200.00
Total	\$273,518.60
Liabilities.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,636.25
National Bank notes outstanding	31,150.00
Due to other National Banks	460.02
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	10,504.69
Dividends unpaid	38.00
Individual deposits subject to check	149,288.50
Demand certificates of deposit	7,284.79
Certified checks	107.00
Total	\$273,518.60

State of Maine, County of Oxford, ss.
I, H. D. SUMNER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
H. D. SUMNER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of June, 1903.
HERRICK C. DAVIS, Judge.

CORRECT-Attest:
C. E. TUBBS,
C. E. HOYT,
F. W. SANBORN, } Directors.

OTISFIELD.

Tumor Removed.

Mrs. Ada Moors is at the hospital. She had a tumor removed from her side, recently. It was of very large size. She is quite comfortable.

Allice Jilson, who went to Portland to the Maine General Hospital to have an operation performed, recently, is doing finely.

James Mains is very feeble.

Joseph Gerrish is some better.

Mrs. Hiram Edwards is suffering from rheumatism.

Helen Edwards of Oxford is at home on a short vacation.

Lyman Smith is very sick. There are no hopes of his recovery.

Gene Edwards and family called on friends in Naples, recently.

J. C. Maxfield and wife called on friends in this place, recently.

The teacher, Miss Foster, was sick and unable to finish her school at Spurr's Corner.

Glady Edwards, little daughter of Eugene Edwards, has been quite sick, the past week.

Mrs. George Scribner is visiting her sister, Mrs. Abbie Chapman, in Concord, who is very sick.

Rev. Edward A. Tuck, pastor of the Congregational church, preached his farewell sermon, Sabbath evening, at Spurr's Corner.

Addie Stone spent last week at home.

Ed Morey paralleled his former record by shooting six crows Monday morning.

The subscribers of the Oxford Telephone & Telegraph Co. west of the Mark Wright corner are as follows: C. O. Martin, G. B. Turner, S. D. Nutting, Edwin Lamb and F. M. Barrows.

NORTH SUMNER.

Bethiah Damon.

Died in Sumner, June 10th, Mrs. Bethiah Damon, aged 83 years, 4 months and 19 days. She leaves two sons, Geo. B., who resides in Portland, and Charles with whom she lived, and one daughter, Mrs. Louisa Ross, who has taken the best of care of her mother. She has never left her a night since last October. She has been a great sufferer. She died with a cancer.

Hazel Warren has the measles.

Holman Monk is at home from Orono.

Dan Jack and wife were in our place calling, the 13th.

Charlie Tucker has swapped his team for a better one.

Charles Rowe and wife went to South Paris, last Sabbath.

Henry Fuller from Paris was at I. D. Fuller's, last Sunday.

Mrs. Mord Rowe is sick and Myrtle Rowe is at work for her.

E. F. Bicknell and wife from Norway were in our place, last Sabbath.

Mrs. J. E. Mayhew passed part of last week with her niece, Mrs. Lothrop.

Charles Paine and family from Mechanic Falls are visiting at Ed Damon's.

Mrs. Martha Record and her sister, Mrs. Cressey, go to Salem, Mass., this week.

Mrs. Moses Spaulding and family from Sumner were at Stephen Spaulding's, last Sunday.

Deane Turner and wife from Paris have been visiting his son Isaac for a few days the past week.

MASON.

Two Bears Fighting.

As Elmer Morrell and Fred Lovejoy were working in the field, recently, they heard a noise in the bushes near them. Thinking it was two foxes fighting and snarling, they went to see what it was all about, but the growls were too loud for them to venture in, so they ran to the house for a gun. Mr. Lovejoy returned with them and found it to be two bears. They had killed one of Mr. L.'s sheep and had eaten nearly half of it up, but ran away upon hearing the boys approach. The bears made large tracks in the mud.

E. C. Uhlman and Douglass Cushing are hauling wood to West Bethel.

Alton Merrill of Mechanic Falls spent the Sabbath with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Merrill.

Mrs. Miranda Saunders and son from North Waterford have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Douglass Cushing.

The recent rain raised Pleasant river so that Hastings Brothers drove their pulp a long distance toward the Androscoggin river.

F. I. Bean fell from a high ladder, last week, striking on his back. He is unable to move about much. Elbridge Morrell is working in the mill sawing shingles for Mr. Bean.

NORTH PARIS.

Will Tuell visited his parents over Sunday.

Sam Ellingwood is doing quite a business making ladders.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase and children from West Paris were at Charles Chase's, Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Andrews and children from South Woodstock attended church here last Sunday.

Charles Childs and James Abbott visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Silver of Sumner recently.

A Miss Swift is taking Mabel Stearns' place in school. Miss Stearns went to her home very sick.

J. F. Littlehale and wife from Boston, who have been visiting Mrs. Diantha Fuller, have returned home.

Oxford Conference.

The annual meeting of Oxford Conference of Congregational churches held at Oxford Tuesday and Wednesday of last week was one of the most helpful and interesting conferences that these churches have held. Though not as large a number were present as is usual at the June meeting, nearly every church was well represented and the reports were most encouraging.

In the absence of Rev. C. N. Gleason of Bethel the sermon Tuesday morning was by Dr. W. E. Brooks and was an able presentation in the Doctor's most personal manner of the church, its opportunities and duties.

The theme of the conference was "The Church," and the papers and discussions were upon this line, the topics comprising: The foundation of the church; the purpose of the church; church fellowship in social and public worship and in mutual obligation; the auxiliaries of the church; the relationship of the church to other churches, societies and institutions and the outlying communities; the work of the church, preaching, teaching, ministering in the home, etc.

The work has been divided and extended. Rev. E. F. Tuck, formerly of Casco, has charge of Upton, Errol, N. H., and Upper and Lower Magalloway, while Rev. W. B. Hagne, recently of South Bridgton, works among the lumbermen in the north portion of Oxford and Franklin counties, terminating in the Dead River region settlements. Upton has received a large gain in membership. Church edifices are being built at both Upper and Lower Magalloway, and when the buildings are ready for occupancy, church organizations will be formed.

The conference closed at noon, Wednesday with the communion service.

OXFORD.

Andrew Hayes is home from Orono College.

Margaret Walker, who has been very ill with measles, is improving.

Florence Robinson of East Oxford was in town on business last week.

Mrs. Leslie Farnce has returned to her home in Somersworth, N. H.

Floyd Wardwell and Leon Irving spent last week in Portland and vicinity.

Charles Bumpus and John Bowser spent Sunday in Norway and Paris.

Rev. A. H. Ericsson is attending the Loyal Workers' convention at Rochester, N. H.

Alpha Kavanaugh has spent the past week with his mother and brothers in Portland.

Daniel Whitehouse, who has spent the past winter with his sister in Boston is again in town.

Heloise Hersey of Boston is visiting at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Hersey.

Mrs. Cyrus Hayes, who has spent the winter in Baltimore with her daughter, is now at home again.

Rev. A. A. Callaghan, Albert Wells, Bessie Newport and several others are confined to the house with measles.

Mrs. Artie West of Biddeford, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Ericsson, returned to her home Tuesday.

WEST BETHEL.

A Grand Concert.

The grand closing concert Sunday evening, given by Prof. W. S. Wight and his chorus of twenty-five voices, assisted by others, with Alice Billings at the piano, was a musical treat to all present. The hall was well filled. Mr. Wight appeared at his best, and his management was first-class and perfect in all its parts. The singing was fine and highly spoken of and appreciated by all, and was loudly endorsed. Grace Chapman with her recitations caused some merriment for the crowd.

Bridges Washed Out.

During the recent rise of water the bridge near Geo. Gardner's was carried away.

Herbert Mason is quite sick with the measles.

A. J. Haskell is building an addition to his stable.

Mrs. Joseph Swett has just received a new lot of ladies' hats.

The Bethel tax collector for 1903 was in town last Monday.

Martin Whitney is boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stiles.

Lu Arno of Bethel visited her friend, Ethel Allen, here Monday.

A few went from here on the excursion to Berlin last Sunday.

E. P. Philbrook has returned to this village and is at work for A. J. Haskell.

Mrs. H. B. Lowell received a visit from her brother-in-law from South Paris last Sunday.

G. B. Lowell received a visit from his brother, from Rockland, Mass., last week.

Mrs. Herbert Lord has returned home from Waterford. Her husband has got quite well.

We saw Daniel Morrill in town recently. He does not get so far from home very often.

Geneva Valentine brought us a nice fish. She has been up to the lake, N. H., on a fishing trip and got a fine lot.

Willie and Edgar Ladd of Portland came up last Sunday on the excursion and stopped in this village during the day.

A two-horse team and express wagon belonging to Fred Sedgwick went through this village towards home last Monday at a lively gallop without any driver. We hear no damage was done.

WEST DENMARK.

School closes Friday of this week.

W. Carver is home on a short vacation. Albert Jones of Denmark called on friends here Sunday.

Our roads have been put in fine shape. It is much to be praised.

Owing to the heavy rain, the Saco has overflowed its banks and the road from here to Fryeburg is impassible.

One day, W. C. Hazlett and Ellis Blake caught nine pickerel at Moose pond, that weighed nineteen pounds.

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Business Changes Hands.

Dr. S. A. McDaniel of Kezar Falls, State veterinarian, was in town last week Tuesday and Wednesday, and killed A. H. Witham's cow, which proved badly off with tuberculosis. Mr. Witham bought a Jersey cow, last Saturday of Daniel Johnson. Mr. Witham will finish moving into the Blake house this week. Dudley Perkins of Mechanic Falls is expected to move into the place from which Mr. Witham moves out, and next week Mr. Perkins and Mr. Witham will take account of stock in the store and complete the transfer to Mr. Perkins of stock-in-trade and buildings.

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C. O. Pendexter was in Portland two days on business last week.

A. H. Witham is very poorly in health, but manages to keep about and see to his business.

Farmers have had to plant over some of their corn, and some have harrowed their corn ground and sowed Hungarian seed. The crows are quite troublesome, digging potatoes as well as corn.

In consequence of the heavy rain, for which we are devoutly thankful, Rev. Mr. Collins did not come up from Portland to preach last Sabbath, but may be expected next Sabbath to preach at East Denmark at 2 p. m., and at Sandy Creek at 10.30 a. m.

The apple crop will be very light in town.

Cora Jordan is very sick with rheumatic fever.

Summer H. Smith has been quite sick the past week.

Alice Jordan of Massachusetts is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Colby.

Mrs. Frank Wales, who has been in the Maine Central Hospital, came Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Jewett, who has been in the insane hospital, came home last week, perfectly sane.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

A Wedding Announced.

We have just received a wedding invitation from Providence, R. I. Lillian E. Mason and William R. Whittier are to be united in marriage June 24. Miss Mason is the eldest daughter of Henry Mason, formerly of Waterford.

Eugene Kilgore is afflicted with sciatic rheumatism.

The earth is looking beautiful since the recent rain.

Elden Willard has been visiting relatives in Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ring of Harrison were in town last Sunday.

The sick ones in John Atherton's family are improving somewhat.

Hugh Smart with a crew of men are peeling hemlock on the Green place in Blackguard.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison of Westbrook are visiting Mrs. Morrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nevers.

James R. Hall has returned to his Waterford home from Westbrook, where he has been passing several months with his daughter, Mrs. Anna Fogg.

Services that were to have been held at the M. E. church last Sabbath were postponed on account of Children's Day services at Waterford Congregational church. Children's Day, however, was not observed, but is announced for next Sabbath.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Enough for Every One.

There seems to be measles enough to go around.

Lena Stone and Eva Dresser each have new pianos.

Mrs. James Hanson has gone to Portland for a few weeks' stay.

Clarence Caswell of Boston with his horse, "Harrison Boy," are in town for a few weeks' stay.

Adna Pike is repairing his barn. He has moved it back and otherwise improved the looks.

Mrs. Georgia Stevens is boarding with Lena Stone. She spent the past winter and spring in Lynn.

The rain of last week seemed to be "just what the doctor ordered." Hope it won't prove an overdose.

Mrs. M. M. Caswell of Bridgton, who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity the past two weeks, returned home last Monday.

Alanson Caswell went to North Anson last Monday to spend the rest of the summer with his son, accompanied by his brother, D. H. Caswell, for a few days' stay.

Russell Edwards and family were over from Harrison Sunday.

Henry Wilbur has moved his barn, greatly improving the appearance of his place.

In the absence of our pastor last Sabbath, a social service was led by Nathaniel Warren.

D. B. Cummings and wife of Hebron have visited at H. O. Wilbur's and other relatives in this vicinity.

Rev. W. P. Curtis passed through the village one day last week. His many friends here were very sorry that he could not stop to see them all.

NORTH NORWAY.

Mrs. A. W. Judkins from Upton is in town.

Sidney Foster went to Portland, Monday, to see doctors regarding his case.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Judkins from Albany visited at O. W. H. Judkins', recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pike from Hebron lately visited their sister, Mrs. C. D. Herick.

Irving Symonds is having his newly purchased residence at Noble's Corner papered, etc.

School closed the 12th. The teacher, Minnie Cox, gave the scholars a fine treat of ice cream and cake. Those not absent one-half day: Fannie Hunt, Jeannie Hunt, Virgil Herick, Carroll Herick, Carl Austin, Albert Hobbs and Leora McKay. Those who have not whispered during the term are: Elmer Hussey, Olive Hussey, Albert Hobbs, Virgil Herick, Clark Hunt, Fannie Hunt, Jeannie Hunt, Carroll Herick and Leora McKay.

MILTON PLANTATION.

Villa Haynes of Richmond is visiting her mother and brother.